



## Statistical Overview 2007

General Information		Catholic Population	
Established:	1972	Total Population Western North Carolina(est.):	4,678,140
Location:	Western North Carolina	Registered Households:	58,562
Number of Counties:	46	Registered Population (est.):	161,244
Square Miles:	20,647	Unregistered non-Hispanic Catholics (est.):	53,500
Square kilometers:	53,476	Unregistered Hispanic Catholics (est.):	210,000
See City:	Charlotte	% of total population (registered):	3.4%
Parishes:	73	% of total population (including unregistered):	9.1%
Missions:	19	Average Weekly Mass attendance:	88,291
Religious Personnel		Education	
Bishop: Most Rev. Peter J. Jugis, JCD		High Schools:	2
Date of Episcopal Ordination:	October 24, 2003	Students	1,903
Active Diocesan Priests:	78	Elementary Schools (including Middle):	16
Religious Priests:	52	Students	6,487
Retired Priests of the Diocese:	31	Students in Faith Formation (CCD)	
Deacons:	108	High School	3,179
Religious Sisters:	114	Elementary (including Middle)	20,109
Religious Brothers:	9	Full-time teachers (including religious)	500
Seminarians:	17	Catechists	4,546
Vital Statistics		Miscellaneous	
Baptisms		Charitable and Social Institutions	41
Infant	6,632	Clients assisted	216,351
Minors	343	<i>The Catholic News and Herald</i> subscribers	52,718
Adult	238	Number of retreat centers	4
Received into full communion	662		
First Communion	4,982		
Confirmations	3,273		
Marriages	885		
Deaths	1,117		

